



CNH FIRE CONFERENCE

Hilton Kauai Beach Resort

Lihue, Kauai, HI

April 14-16, 2010

ANNOUNCEMENT

The California/Nevada/Hawaii Forest Fire Council will be holding its Spring 2010 Conference at the Hilton Kauai Beach Resort, Lihue, Kauai, on April 14-16, 2010. The conference theme is **“Sharing Knowledge, Sharing Friendship.”**

Conference highlights include the following:

- **Bushfires in Australia** – 2008 was the deadliest fire season in Australia. An in-depth look at the fire season and what the New South Wales Fire Service provides to its citizens in terms of fire protection,
- **Safety First, Safety Last** – Region 5 updates us on safety measures and the latest in safety prevention technology.
- **Arson Investigation** – Retired law enforcement officer Paul Steensland leads us on an investigation that has many twists and turns and eventually ends up with an arrest of a valued government employee,
- **10 Standard Firefighting Orders: A Genealogy** - Every wildland firefighter knows and understands the 10 Standard Firefighting Orders, but where did it come from and why was it developed? The presentation provides us with the answers.
- **Agency Updates** – A short presentation on the various agencies that make up CNH,
- **Tsunami in American Samoa** – In 2009, a tsunami hit American Samoa, killed 36 people and caused millions of dollars of damage to the villages and businesses. The presentation provides a chronology of events and highlights the courage and resilience of the Samoan people.

This is just a few of the topics to be presented at the conference. There will also be a field trip scheduled (limited to 60 people) as well as a time for food, drink, and merriment.

Sign up today! Use the attached Conference Registration Form. Hotel reservations can be made online. See the hotel reservation attachment.

Should you have any questions, please contact Wayne Ching at 587-4173 or by e-mail at wayne.f.ching@hawaii.gov.

SEE YOU THERE!



California Nevada Hawaii Forest Fire Conference
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Hotel Accommodations

The conference will be held at the Kauai Beach Resort, 4331 Kauai Beach Drive, Lihue, Kauai 96766. Reservations can be made online at <http://www.hilton.com/en/hi/groups/personalized/LIHKBHF-CNHFC-20100409/index.jhtml>

Group Code is CNHFC. Contact the hotel at (808) 246-5515 for further information. Reservation deadline is: **MARCH 14, 2010**

Air/Ground Transportation Please make your own transportation arrangements. Shuttle service from the airport to the hotel can be arranged with the hotel.

Fees

Registration Fee: It includes the coffee breaks, luncheon, and registration packet. \$150 \$ _____

Luncheon (Guests only) Wednesday, April 14..... Number of guests: _____ x \$25 \$ _____

Optional Events

1) An optional field trip is scheduled for Thursday, April 15 and limited to 60 people. First-come, first-served. Indicate below if you are attending. Lunch is free to all conferees.....Total number attending: _____

.....Guest Only: _____ x \$25 \$ _____

2) **Team Development**

A post-conference team development workshop will be held at the Puakea Golf Course. Sign up and pay at the Registration Desk.

TOTAL REMITTANCE: \$ _____

Please make check payable to: **CNH Fire Conference**

Mail conference form and payment to:

CNH Fire Conference 2010
Division of Forestry & Wildlife
1151 Punchbowl Street, Rm. 325
Honolulu, HI 96813

PLEASE TURN IN YOUR REGISTRATION FEE BY MARCH 15, 2010.

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Door prizes and donations will be accepted and distributed throughout the conference.

